

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA**

In Re: LEVAQUIN PRODUCTS
LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL. No. 08-1943 (JRT)

This document also relates to:

Russell Dubinski, et al. v. Johnson & Johnson, Ortho McNeil Pharmaceuticals, Inc., and Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceutical Research and Development, LLC, D. Minn. Court File No. 08-cv-06266 (JRT)

Myrna Pratt v. Johnson & Johnson, Ortho McNeil Pharmaceuticals, Inc., and Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceutical Research and Development, LLC, D. Minn. Court File No. 09-cv-00075 (JRT)

Darla Spencer v. Johnson & Johnson, Ortho McNeil Pharmaceuticals, Inc., and Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceutical Research and Development, LLC, D. Minn. Court File No. 09-cv-00092 (JRT)

Joseph Wayne Gibson v. Johnson & Johnson, Ortho McNeil Pharmaceuticals, Inc., and Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceutical Research and Development, LLC, D. Minn. Court File No. 09-cv-00139 (JRT)

Emily White v. Johnson & Johnson, Ortho McNeil Pharmaceuticals, Inc., and Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceutical Research and Development, LLC, D. Minn. Court File No. 09-cv-00145 (JRT)

Nancy Vanderbilt v. Johnson & Johnson, Ortho McNeil Pharmaceuticals, Inc., and Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceutical Research and Development, LLC, D. Minn. Court File No. 09-cv-00225 (JRT)

Charles Bryan v. Johnson & Johnson, Ortho McNeil Pharmaceuticals, Inc., and Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceutical Research and Development, LLC, D. Minn. Court File No. 09-cv-00239 (JRT)

**ORDER GRANTING PERMISSION
FOR DEFENDANTS JOHNSON &
JOHNSON, ORTHO-MCNEIL-
JANSSEN PHARMACEUTICALS,
INC., AND JOHNSON & JOHNSON
PHARMACEUTICAL RESEARCH &
DEVELOPMENT, LLC TO AMEND
THEIR ANSWERS TO
COMPLAINTS**

Rufus Smith, Jr. v. Johnson & Johnson, Ortho
McNeil Pharmaceuticals, Inc., and Johnson &
Johnson Pharmaceutical Research and
Development, LLC, D. Minn. Court File No.
09-cv-00255 (JRT)

Ronald Snearey v. Johnson & Johnson, Ortho
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09-cv-00265 (JRT)

Martin Drake v. Johnson & Johnson,
Ortho McNeil Pharmaceuticals, Inc., and
Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceutical
Research and Development, LLC, D.
Minn. Court File No. 09-cv-00330 (JRT)

This matter is before the Court upon the stipulation filed by the parties on June 16,
2009 [Docket No. 292 on 08-1943],

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that based on the parties' stipulation filed with the
Court that defendants Johnson & Johnson, Ortho-McNeil-Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc.,
and Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceutical Research & Development, LLC may file and
serve Amended Answers in each of the affected cases without the necessity of a hearing
on said amendment. Cases affected by this order are:

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DATED: July 28, 2009
at Minneapolis, Minnesota.

s/John R. Tunheim
JOHN R. TUNHEIM
United States District Judge